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TAGS:

SUBJECT: W/W ARRESTS:

FOLLOWING AMERICAN ARRESTED:

1. NAME: L
2. SEX: MALE
3. DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: NEW YORK
4. PASSPORT NUMBER, UNKNOWN, DATE AND PLACE ISSUED: UNKNOWN
5. LAST KNOWN US ADDRESS: T
6. DATE AND PLACE OF ARREST: CIUDAD QUESADA, COSTA RICA, 4/24/85
7. ARREST CONDITION: NORMAL
8. CHARGES: ILLICIT ASSOCIATION (CONSPIRACY)
9. PLACE OF DETENTION: TEMPORARY COURT DETENTION FACILITY, SAN JOSE, COSTA RICA
10. BRIEF STATUS OF CASE: HELD PENDING ARRAIGNMENT
11. TRIAL DATE AND/OR HEARING DATE: UNKNOWN
12. POSSIBLE SENTENCE: 6 YEARS/1 YEAR
13. ATTORNEY: NONE - GIVEN LAWYERS LIST - 4/26/85
14. PRIVACY ACT WAIVER: YES - TO HIS MOTHER ONLY.
15. NEXT OF KIN: T

16. NOTIFICATION: 4/26/85 BY POLICE

17. NAMES OF OTHER AMERICANS ARRESTED IN SAME CASE:

18. MIS. TREATMENT: NONE ALLEGED

19. PROPERTY CONFISCATED: SUITCASE AND PERSONAL BELONGINGS

20. JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS: NONE

21. EMDA: N/A

22. REMARKS: SUBJECT CLAIMS TO HAVE ENTERED COSTA RICA TWO MONTHS AGO UNDER A CONTRACT TO FIGHT AS A PART OF AN ANTI-COMMUNIST GROUP IN SOUTHERN PART OF NICARAGUA. HIS MOTHER WAS CONTACTED BY CONOFF ON 4/26/85. SUBJECTS PASSPORT AND IDENTIFICATION PAPERS ARE IN THE POSSESSION OF AN AMCIT WHO WAS NOT ARRESTED. CONOFF IS ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE THE AMCIT TO RECOVER THE DOCUMENTS.

23. ADVISING NEXT OF KIN OF OTHERS NOTIFIED BY CONOFF 4/26/85. LINCOLN

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